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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Y. OSONE et al.
Application No.: 09/943,512
Filed: August 31, 2001
For: MULTILAYER WIRING BOARD AND SEMICONDUCTOR
DEVICE
Art Unit: 2827
Examiner: D. E. Graybill

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 17, 2004
(Tuesday After Holiday)

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within a two-month time period subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed September 16, 2003. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Docket No. 500.40530X00) and any excess fees credited to that account.

Respectfully submitted,

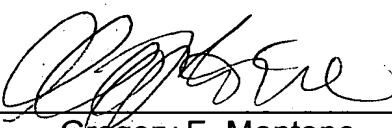
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